

Lesson 26

1 TOPIC QUESTION

今日のトピック

Is your country a safe place to live?

あなたの国は安全に暮らせるところですか？

2 ARTICLE

記事

Directions: Read the following article aloud.

課題：以下の記事をはっきりとした声で音読しましょう。



Living in a Safe Country

There are countries in the world that are considered to be safe countries in which to live. There are many other countries that are considered to be very dangerous places in which to live. In a country deemed to be safe one feels comfortable walking to and from work or school. In others that are not safe, people walk around wearing guns for protection.

In safe countries you can go to festivals and concerts where there are lots of other people and enjoy yourself without worrying about someone trying to rob or harm you. This is the type of country that entices people to want to live, work and study there. It is also the type of country that one would want to raise their families in.

There are some cities in the world where workers leave their families in another town while they work in the city. This is done because they feel that it is not safe for their families to be in that city. Can you imagine if you had to have an armed guard with you if you wanted to walk a couple of blocks from your place of work just for lunch? This is indeed the case in some cities even though it seems hard to believe if you live in a safe country.

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3 VOCABULARY

語い

Directions: First repeat after your tutor and then read aloud by yourself.

課題: 先生の後が続いてくり返した後、今度はひとりで発音してみましょう。

dangerous 危険な

entice 気を引く

festivals 祝祭、祭

harm 危害を加える

imagine 想像する

deemed 見なされる

indeed 本当に

4 QUESTIONS

質問

Directions: Read the questions aloud and answer them.

課題: 質問を声に出して読んだ後、答えてみましょう。

1. How do you tell a safe country from one that is not safe?
2. What are some things a person can do in a safe country?
3. Why do workers in some countries not have their families with them?
4. Do you think your country is a safe place to live? Why or why not?